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ADVENTURE WITH A WILD ELEPHANT.

A tremendous crash was heard amongst the bamboos, accompanied by a shrill scram, like a sound of a cracked trumpet. Huttee! Huttee! shouted the Jemmadar, darting behind the shelter of a tree, and

"Down! down for your lives !" exclaimed Mansfield, in an audible whisper,

and cocking his rifle. "This must be the far-famed elephant, which has been committing such ravages of late on the edge of the Forrest; and, if we can manage to kill him, it will be a glorious victory,'

The doctor groaned aloud in agony of

" Now lads, mind what you are about, tion of the trunk, and when I whistle a tria-it is absolutely bankruptcy. second time fire together. But take care | France has a debt of over one thousand that you only fire one barrel, reserve the millions of dollars. To pay the interest directions; and you Doctor, do like a the united income of the people. us our lives.'

" The Lord have merey on us! This becoming unproductive. is awful work !" grouned the Doctor, Austria is worse off still. She has a " Mons Meg," his gun.

and the gigantic brute, bursting into open nancial embarrassment : but the revoluspace, 'brandishing aloft his ponderous tion of 1848 added over one hundred miltrunk, like a knight entering the list to do lions to her liabilities. In 1847 how debattle against all comers, and screamed finite was seven millions of florins, in 1848 a stupendous animal a perfect mountain twenty millions; in 185) forty-five millions, of flesh, full twelve feet high, with enor- in 1851 sixty-two millions; and in 1852 mous tusks, and his little twinkling red tifty-three millions. She has a forced pa-

as he stamped his foot upon the ground, within. Since the Hungarian war she his headlong charge.

fire till the proper time."

Mansfield gave a low whistle.

and bent down his head in the act of lis- coming utterly insolvent. tening. He was just in the right position, Prussia has a debt of one hundred and to his heels, roaring justily that the monster great calamity. was after him. The poor Doctor's nerves The English debt every body knows.-

Mansfield and Charles fired, and both balls took effect in the head of the lephant, making the blood flow copiously; but being discharged almost at random, and not planted in the correct spoi, they only acted as stimulants to his rage. Uttering a shrill scream, he dashed madly forward posed his headlong career.

was failing fast, and the fearful chase appeared to be drawing to a close. The No continental Power save perhaps ior, but she delighted to show what she ior, but she delighted to show what she will succeed not only in winning that save you a local transfer of the untried was failing fast, and the fearful chase appeared to be drawing to a close. The No continental Power save perhaps ior, but she delighted to show what she ior, but she delighted to show what she will succeed not only in winning that she will succeed not only in winning the principal gems of gossip.

What news?" asked Miss Manly, which otherwise it would take her years and I it in time. A presentation, but she will succeed not only in winning the principal gems of gossip.

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owed the chase, dodging cautiously from

til all arrearages are paid up; and those who do not order their paper to be discontinued at the end of he, droping the but-end of his rifle on the ther than to engage in a regular war with them. aper to be discontinued at the end of he, droping the but-end of his rifle on the subscription, will be considered as ground and leaned against a tree, sick the collossal Power of the North.—N. Y.

> The elephant rose from his knees, pickand stood gazing on his victim with flawork of death by trampling him with his

" By Heavens, you shall not complete accompanied by the author's name and post your bloody work," muttered Mansfield, grinding his teeth and raising his rifle with a steadiness that never forsook him even in the most desperate situations .-The deadly bullet sped true to the mark. entering the eye and burying itself in the brain of the elephant.

The gigantic brute uttered one shrill cream of mingled rage and pain, and sinking slowly to the ground rolled over beckoning the others to follow his examlike a falling tower.

Charles, followed by the Jammadar, now came running to the scene of action, at the same time crouching behind a tree and by way of making sure, discharged both barrels into the elephant, but he moved not; Mansfield's shot had done the work effectually.

THE SINEWS OF WAR.

If money is the sinew of war, the want of it is a strong security for peace. The pecuniary element is in fact the most material of all, in any calculation respecting and if you only behave steadily, the day the issue of the present Eastern difficulis our own. Keep perfectly still untill he ties. We may rely upon it, that whatshows himself; when I whistle he will ever the Four Powers can do to avert war lower his head to listen from whence the they will do. To two of them-England sound comes-take a steady aim at the hol- and Prussia -- war is most exhausting low of his forehead, just above the inser- debt; to the other two-France and Aus

other, and dash off, two to the right and on her national debt-to support her two to the left, so that if he does not fall standing army of three hundred and fifty he may find a clear space to make his first thousand men, and navy of three hundred They are stupid, short sighted an- and thirty vessels-and to meet the curimals, and if you keep quiet we shall rent expense of civil government, France probably have time to reload before he has to raise an annual revenue of three liscovers us ; at all events, we shall have hundred millions of dollars, which is more our second barrels ready. Now mind these than one fifth of the annual amount of all of France good fellow, try to keep your wits about now, even in a period of peace, is not far you ; every thing depends upon our stead- from that extreme limit of taxation, when mess, and the slightest mistake may cost any attempt to increase the amount levied in the country would fail by the imposts

casting a rueful glane at his favorite debt of eleven hundred millions of dollars and a revenue of only one hundred and There was a moment of breathles si- twelve millions. For the last fifty years lence. Another fearful crash was heard she has been suffering all the evils of fiforth his shrill notes of defianc. He was forty-five millione, in 1843 one handred and eye, glared with the fire of madness.

Flourishing his trunk about, he snuffed lions of dollars entirely valueless outside the tainted air, and his scream of rage, her territory, and greatly depreciated announced that he was aware of the close has had to contract three loans, one of proximity of his enemies, although he some forty-three millions of dollars in had notified in which direction to make 1851, one of seventeen millions in 1852. and one of forty millions in 1953, the last · Now, lads, steady, and reserve your of which it will be remembered was negotiated with extreme difficulty. Nothing is more certain than that Austria cannot The elephant started, cocked his ears engage in another serious war without be-

and Mansfield was in the act of raising thirty-five millions of dellars. The events crack.

timate her financial abilities. Adam said-Smith said even in his day that the debt bankruptey. It is just as certain that it can never be augmented by another long reply. period of war without making its burden his mouth wide open, his tail on ead, and France 1797, when she abolished twohis trunk upraised to crush all which op- thirds of her national debt. We have ter. of a teak tree. But the poor Doctor whose of England. Last year the Three per Cent Summers, and"senses were completely bewildered, ran Consuls of England were at par; they blindly forward, and his red jacket being now are nearly five per cent below par. — Martha. and a half per cent. If England has grea- Theu came a little pause, uninterrupt-In vain did the panting wretch twist and a half percent. It England has given the did the panting wretch twist ter resources than any other nation in Eu- ed save by the occasional track which

forward to grasp him when he made a sudden turn: the elephant overshot his mark, and was for amoment at fault, apparently uncertain in which direction his victim had fied. The Doctor, seeing his victim had fied. The Doctor, seeing his victim had fied. The Doctor, seeing his victim had fied to the parently uncertain in which direction his victim had fied. The Doctor, seeing his victim had fied to the parently uncertain in which direction his tence. But capitalists have had too strong victim had fied to the parently uncertain in which direction his to acquire. This must not be?" said the which otherwise it would take her years to acquire. This must not be?" said the which otherwise it would take her years to acquire. This must not be?" said the with a little stare, which denoted the speaker's surprise at the mere idea of his speaker's surprise at the mere idea of his thing. I cannot and will not breathe the him of the kind up there, and they made the ground, and his arm was outstretched to grasp a branch which would have raised him out of danger, when the glebant, catching a glimpse of him, dashed forward with redoubled fury, twisted his trunk around his legs, hurled him to the trunk around his legs, hurled him to the ground, rushed upon him as he law are liable to be loan his best horse in order to oblige a miss Manly had heard of the accident, and how, pray, can you avert it, if it loan his best horse in order to oblige a miss Manly had heard of the accident, and how, pray, can you avert it, if it loan his best horse in order to oblige a miss Manly had heard of the last suit,

At this moment Mansfield who had fol-wed the chase, dodging cautiously from bably soon will be by a general scarcity feather bed of flowery ejaculations. tree to tree, in hopes that some lucky of food-we look upon it as a certain that they will exhaust every means to prevent hostilities between Turkey and Russia; diness to escort them to or from church, and as altogether probable that if their and his sincere efforts to oblige them, "The Lord have mercy on his soul for efforts prove vain, and war actually breaks which extended even to lugging their lap Courier and Enquirer.

NOBLEMEN.

BY C. T. STEWART. Are men whose hands are brown with toil : Who, backed by no ancestral graves, Hew down the wood and till the soil, And win thereby a prouder name Than follows king or warrior's fame.

The working men ! whate'er their task, To carve the stone, or bear the hod-They wear upon their honest brows The royal stamp and seal of God! And brighter are the drops of sweat Than diamond's in a coronet!

God bless the noble working men! Who rear the cities of the plain : Who dig the mines, and build the ships,

And drive the commerce of the main : God bless them ! for their swarthy hands Have wrought the glory of all lands.

From Dodge's Literary Museum. THE MATCH-MAKING WIDOW.

CHAPTER EIGHT. In a spacious apartment of a large imosing-looking dwelling in the village of for them; rocking in their easy chairs and talking will delay the picnic until her recovery?" occasionally with each other. The rich interrogated Matilda. carpets, the splendid furniture, the elegant pictures, all denoted wealth and reply. "If she's sick we can do without uxury. The two occupants of the room her. as they sat there, with the rich autumn nity, and settled her lap-dog more comsunlight falling in upon them, they refortably on its cozy bed.

"You appear to feel de sembled two rusty pieces of statuary Matilda saw that her sister was not in

as though moved by the same machinery. slight figure in her rich shawl.

" Look, Sis, I have caught one.

exclaimed, "do you see that? What a band.

would never be extinguished except by her Sis) why can't we get up a picnic?"

"Who'll we invite?" inquired her sis-

ground, rushed upon him as he lay stunned and bleeding, and kneeling down,
drove at him furiously with his enormone.

They are liable to be loan his best horse in order to oblige a friend, and if the poor animal happened but she received it as news and expressed is in her power to become so?" asked the but she received it as news and expressed is in her power to become so?" asked the widow, turning her astonished gaze upon to be driven off his legs, Mr. Ackerman due surprise at the event. Miss Tattledrove at him furiously with his enormous to be driven off his legs, Mr. Ackerman due surprise at the event. Was a shade of sadness upon the face of

With the Misses Manly he was an especial favorite, principally from his rea-

arities of the man, he was everywhere well received, and never failed to win a smile of welcome wherever he presented himself. In fact, that circle is rarely found which refuses a man entrance to it when he carries a California talisman in daughter's sick room. She was most correct the many peculibration of the many peculibration of the state of the acknowledge her success the luxuriant trees which it. Just at the with the multitude? No I it a triumph had of this island the river fell over a cluster of rocks in a bright waterfall; they parted with assurances of unalterable be obliged to acknowledge her success with the multitude? No I it is a triumph had of this island the river fell over a cluster of rocks in a bright waterfall; they parted with assurances of unalterable be obliged to acknowledge her success with the multitude? No I it is a triumph she shall never know," exclaimed the exception of the many peculibration of the shade of this island the river fell over a cluster of rocks in a bright waterfall; they parted with assurances of unalterable be obliged to acknowledge her success with the multitude? No I it is a triumph she shall never know," exclaimed the exception of the many peculibration of the shade of this island the river fell over a cluster of rocks in a bright waterfall; they parted with assurances of unalterable be obliged to acknowledge her success with the multitude? No I it is a triumph she active the shall never know," exclaimed the exception of the many peculibration of the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph she active the shall never know, it is a triumph his hand; society is ever ready to over-look faults which are glossed over with her daughter.

dially received by both the widow and influence she already possesses among the look round for any other mode of conveygold-leaf, and none laugh at the cut of

"I wonder," said Matilda, "if Miss ceived her guest. Forrest has recovered from her accident yet. She has been very ill for the past

hurt," was the rejoinder. "Girls nowa- she wished to invite. days find such affairs very agreeable, es-

Miss Martha had a great horror of the influence.' other sex—Mr. Ackerman excepted—and like most unmarried ladies who have ar- wearily turning upon her pillow. "My fully, as fashion ever greets fashion, but crushed. Saddened, perhaps; out this rived at such years of discretion as to know recent accident will be sufficient excuse, I'm not first. Alice's homage is heart will be soon overcome, and I shall be mybetter than to take upon themselves the and my time can be passed more agreea- homage, mine lip homage. I must su- self once more." yoke of matrimony, she embraced every bly at home. By-the-by, mother, why do persede her. The girl is unsuspicious; "You mourn the falseness of a heart opportunity to express her utter contempt you suppose Robert Grant has not called she loves me as she often says, like her you deemed faithful ! The lesson comes

yston sat two old ladies. They were "But if Miss Forrest is no better, we

which more modern furniture had failed a very "pliable humor," as she expressed to displace from their old position in the it, so rising, she placed her little pet in a this flirtation to a serious point ?" house. They sat very close together, cozy corner of the sofa, put on the neatneeded very close inspection to show that her sister would inquire where she was it was a lap-dog! The pair of diminutive going; but that lady preserved a most ladies were busily engaged in parting the provoking silence—so the amiable spin-ly.

A struggle rose in her young breast; then a lorder the day of which the day of w ladies were busily engaged in parting the provoking silence—so the amiable spin- ly. silky locks of their little pets, as they lay ster sallied forth, without the pleasure of

ses, and an eager search seemed to be A few minutes' walk brought her to the ed, but I managed to throw an iceberg going on for something which might be door of Miss Tattleton's mansion, and as between them, if I can judge by theound therein. At length one of the two she entered and seated herself to await last meeting which I witnessed, and Romade a sudden dive with her skinny di-gits, then withdrawing her thumb and inger, tightly pressed together, she exand her eyes mally rested upon the por- love for me, whom she deems the most trait of Charles Taitleton. A little sigh, innocent and loving creature imaginable. The other lady slightly contracted her deep enough to be sincere, burst from the Simple child! she is excusable, for she brows, threw back her head, and ta- good little lady's lips. Miss Manly could knows nothing of the world !"

she exclaimed, "only grant me triumph, above these feelings, and the day will king her sister's fingers within her not have sighed for the luxuries which "I have never seen her yet," said the only aid me to accomplish my wishes." we hand, peered earnestly through her surrounded her, for she possessed an widow thoughtfully, "except at church spectacles into the place extended for in- equal amount. She could not have sigh- she has never returned any of your visits, ed for the superior taste there displayed, and every one of your visits, and every " I -believe -you -have," she an- for in this respect Miss Theressa's rooms one but herseif has called upon us. I Manor-house two days after the events re- since its tones have greeted old Harvey swered, at length, slowly and emphati- were sadly deficient. She could not have must accompany you in some of your vi- corded in the last chapter. cally. "Wait till I get a needle." And sighed for a home, for in that she was sits there, as I really feel anxious to see searching in a neat little cushion at her already blest. No one of these causes if she is such a wonder as the villagers the old man, kindly laying his hand among a voice of singular sweetness and beauty, side, for the desired implement, she thrust brought the sigh from Miss Manly's lips; affirm." it cautiously into the little crevice, then but as her eye rested on the portrait "Yes, to make a round of visits here, will take it now to the village." drew it exultingly forth. "There !" she against the wall, she did sigh for a hus- one would think they had a second Cor- "There are yet some slight ad

monster!" and she displayed to her sis- Smile not, gentle reader. Miss Mauly praise Alice's beauty and talent and good- and I'll not trouble you with it, my friend, ter's delighted eye a poor flea struggling is not the first one who has passed the ness. Sometimes, when I am by her as Lucy is going to the village this after- The earth is too full of its gloduces, in its death agonies on the point of her best of their days in waiting to select a side, she really looks so purely beautiful noon and can take it as well as not," reperfect partner, find that the autumn of that I am almost beside myself with returned Alice. Both ladies gave utterance to a quiet life is upon them and they are alone. In jealousy; but I have always thus far ma- "Well, then, I'll wait till you have Ordrink of grief's bitter alloy." little exulting laugh, and the younger of her youth she had labored under the im- naged to conceal it from her, and she's prepared it for the post, and then you the two placed the poor insect dexterous- pression that every suitor sought her for too simple to suspect anything of the must go with me for a walk. You look ly between her two thumb nails, and her wealth, and she had refused one af- kind. I shall have the pleaseure of see- pale and woe-worn, and need the fresh it gave up the ghost with a vigorous ter another till all had deserted her, and ing her beauty fade some, however, when air. It is a long time since we've had one his rifle, when crack went "Mons-Meg." of 1848 cost her thirty millions. She is with a report like a six-pounder and the deeply in debt and still living beyond her while they are thus engaged, we must winds, could she thus have secured to while they are thus engaged, we must winds, could she thus have secured to compense for what I have sufficient re-while they are thus engaged, we must winds, could she thus have secured to compense for what I have sufficient re-while they are thus engaged. now how gladly would she have thrown she finds her lover is really lost to her. of our pleasants strolls, and to-day we'll Each then returned to the search, and the best portion of that wealth to the My triumph over her will be sufficient re- visit Fairy Isle." Doctor, throwing down his weapon, took means. War then must be to her a beg the reader to look closely, and recog- herself one faithful, loving heart; one be- bringing her beau ideal to my feet." nize in them the Misses Manly who first ing to brighten her way; one voice whose "Perhaps you will never bring him closely. If you do not return in time to nize in them the Misses Manly who first ing to brighten her way; one voice whose caught the eye of Mrs. Forrest at Miss love-tones might cheer her drooping spithere," suggested the widow; "better there," suggested the widow; better there, and it will be just as well, when all else is vanished away. had got the better of him, and by an involuntary twich of his fore finger, he had voluntary twich of his fore finger, he had and the world sees how it grinds her gisister and flea-bitten poodle. She did not "Thank you," returned Lena coldly. "Sis (she always had a way of calling take her eyes off the picture; it seemed "I am aware of your skill in scheming, plied, and her papers being soon put in to have a pecular charm for her. She and the rarity of your failures, but I pre-"Can, as well as not," was the laconic thought how happy she would have been, fer to keep this matter in my own hands, with some such kindly face to bend over but there is one thing," she added, start-'re- her in sickness, and to share her joys and ing up suddenly, "in which I require so insufferable as to necessitate some such joined the first speaker, "tis Indian Sum- sorrows. Her thoughts went still further your aid; it is a project which haunts wan, and pursued their way down the legislation direct or indirect as that of mer, and so delightful."

The weather is so pleasant now, respect to the first speaker, "tis Indian Sum- sorrows. Her thoughts went still further on, and she thought of the time when me day and night, and do what I will. I stream. They had scarcely passed out of she should lie down upon her luxurious cannot tear it from my thoughts." couch for the last time, with no one to Lena paused and bent forward with riage driven by Ralph drove up to the door. seen to what a degree the mere appre- "Why, there are the new-comers, the soothe her parting spirit, no one to claim flashing eyes and pale cheeks towards her Lena leant eagerly from the carriage win-Mansfield and Charles darfed to one side, and fled for shelter behind the stem see, has disturbed the financial condition of a land tree tree to what a degree the mere appression of war, combined with other causidous and fled for shelter behind the stem see, has disturbed the financial condition of the leading of the land without alighting, asked old Lugar and the death-damps from her brow, or drop with the death-damps from her brow, or drop the land without alighting, asked old Lugar and the death-damps from her brow, or drop with land the death-damps from her brow, or a tear on her lonely grave. Something her daughter's brow, and said-"There's enough," interrupted Miss bright welled from the spinster's eye and dimmed the lusture of her spectacles as member Lena, that no one will ever grant felt ill-like from writin so much, and has seen by the following from the Peoria much too conspicuous an object to escape the notice of the enraged elephant, his fate appeared inevitable.

Then the rate of interest at the Bank of England was two per cent., now it is four tilda.

Martha.

"Well, enough it is then," said Martha the set of the enraged elephant, his fate at that moment Miss Tattleton entered to interest at the Bank of these thoughts rose in her mind, and just it more readily than your mother."

Then the rate of interest at the Bank of England was two per cent., now it is four tilda. at that moment Miss Tattleton entered to "Then listen," said Leena, raising her welcome her visitor. jeweled hands, and sweeping back the tone of affectionate commiseration. "When Both ladies met with a most cordial heavy curls that were falling over her will she have finished her story?"

and turn, dodge amongst the trees like a rope, she also has more at stake; and no- was the death-knell of some unfortunate embrace, and a kiss which echoed all face—"what I wish to propose is this.—"I heared her tell Massa Hale 'twas

drove at him furiously with his enormous no small degree weakens their credit.

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their common sense by expecting them to teeth. believe them.

Matilda now broached the subject of the picnic, which delighted Miss Tattledogs, and carrying their parasols for them.

His face rarely wore a sad expression, and his smile was as sunny as his whist-kers. Notwithstanding the many peculi-they parasols for they parasols for them.

As they strolled on, they came suddenly discovered."

"The consequences must be lost sight of, and no discovery dreaded, if we would succeed, and I length gracefully out under the shade of

when he carries a California talisman in daughter's sick room. She was most cor- passion of the moment. "See," she con- Nature had laid upon its bosom in a fond

pants when the pockets are full of the as she lay in her rich and becoming dresging ling dimes. But revenous u nos mousing-gown upon the bed, and the widow how the poor all bless her as she pasto the stream, bore her safely from the looked smiling and patronizing as she re- ses them in the church-porch, and see shore to the edge of the island.

"I guess she was more scared than bade them adien, to visit others whom face, and with gold, yellow gold, instead of from that way.

pecially when there's a young man in the crease our acquaintance and extend our ling faces press forward to greet me.—

Miss Martha had a great horror of the influence."

widow, "an excellent opportunity to increase our acquaintance and extend our ling faces press forward to greet me.—
True, the rich step aside for me, the ed it, or a tempest crushed it?

to-day

"We'll do no such thing," was the tart returned the widow.

"But Ralph said to-day that he out," answered Lena, impatiently, "and Alice would gain by the success with her were very antiquated looking affairs; and And Martha drew herself up with dig- he has neither sent nor come himself to manuscript. Now aid me if you can, in she is so beautiful, and so dear to me, and

"You appear to feel deeply interested tions." n young Grant," said the widow abrupt-"Have you any idea of carrying

and their chairs rocked in perfect unison, est little hat imaginable, and wrapped her are, but I think there'll be no harm in Having bringing the young man to his knees be- moment, then arising and approaching In the lap of each lady lay curled up a thus arranged herself, she bustled about fore me; if I should refuse him, he could her daughter, she said in a low toneittle lump of soft, white wool, which the room for some time, in hopes that fall back upon Alice Freeland, you know." "Is Alice Freeland, then a former

"In my opinion she is. I presume there in the folds of their rich silk dres- being questioned as to her destination. they thought themselves almost betroth-

rinna in the village, by the way they be made in the way of punctuation marks, Though souls that we wished would grow fonder

victim had fled. The Doctor, seeing his alesson of the ruinous effect of this system advantage, began with all dillgence to climb the tree behind which he had shell limb the tree behind with the mere idea of his least of the more; B. paid the mere idea of his least of the more is being the more in the more in the more in the more in the more idea of his least of the more idea of his least of the more idea of the mor climb the tree behind which he had sheltered himself. He was several feet from the ground, and his arm was accessful rival, hower and him angry, and he raised a great wind same air with a successful rival, hower and him angry, and he raised a great wind same air with a successful rival, hower and him angry, and he raised a great wind by Spain, Mexico and the South Ameritance and him angry, and he raised a great wind by Spain, Mexico and the South Ameritance and him angry, and he raised a great wind by Spain, Mexico and the South Ameritance and him angry, and he raised a great wind same air with a successful rival, hower are innocent she may be in herself. Shall by to the picnic, which she had tried to an Republics, to shut their eyes to the He was a country gentleman, possessed tation and hearty killed them. Lena's taking the free two associates for the recommend has also been previous and him angry, and he raised a great wind same air with a successful rival, hower are with a succ

The widow started and turned pale. "Would you do such a thing, even if the thoughts of each bore reference to the you had an opportunity?" she inquired, other. ton, who promised to do her part toward " Think of the consequences if you were As they strolled on, they came suddenly

he wished to invite.

"This is a fine thing for us," said the plate; yet nobody blesses me, none rise turned kindly toward her, and said sister. Through her love I must win my early, but it will be none the less salutary. "Simply because like yourself he has been trying his skill at 'ground and lofty tumbling,' and is not yet able to go out," returned the widow.

"Simply because like yourself he has way to her position, lift her unsuspocting form from the pedsstal on which it stands, and occupy the place myself. To be happered to be an accomplishment of the widow.

"There are others more worthy of your love than Robert Grant, who can so lose sight of it in the wily artifices of an accomplishment of the widow.

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> her mother, then flung herself impatient- to me. My foolish heart perhaps imagly among the soft cushions of a large

"I scarcely know what my intentions chair. Mrs. Forrest sat in deep thought for "It shall be done, provided we can which must pass from my heart forey-

learn the day on which the MS. will be er." all we shall require. Now, my child, tears, but they would come, and bending compose yourself, and do all you can to down her her head she gave free vent to regain your brightness before the picnic, her feelings. which it is my particular wish you should Harvey did not attempt to soothe her. attend, and which is appointed for the He sat in silence till her agitation subsily said."

Lena rose, and approaching the mirror, gazed earnestly on the face and form reflected there.

"I will do anything you wish, mother,"

ice, joyfully, to Harvey, as he entered the the concert-hall of Nature, and it is long

her curls ; "if it is ready for the mail, I she improvised the following song :-"There are yet some slight additions to And hope we have cherished decay,

"Do go, Alice," urged her mother. "you have confined yourself of lcte so

Alice, after a moment's hesitation, comreadiness, she tied on her little straw hat, and kissing her mother adieu, passed forth leaning on the old man's arm.

They sought the banks of the Walla sight of the Manor, when Mrs. Forrest's car-

gone out for the air, miss."

from the occasional glances of the eye, and expression of the face, it would seem that

The latter looked pale and pretty as villagers. See how she is caressed and ance, Harvey raised the slight figure of

how ready every one is to step forward Alice seated herself behind a pile of A cheerful accordance to the picnic project was given by the widow, and Miss Manly, after a few moments of social chat,

"Do not speak thus of Lena, Harvey ; devising a plan to thwart her expecta- she will make a better wife for Robert than ever I could have done. Besides, And Lena turned an eager glance upon Robert never said aught that was definite ined more than he ever gave it reason to.

But you have loved him ?" Alice hesitated as she answered-"I keep nothing from you. I have thought I did. It has been a dream,

day after to-morrow, you know Miss Man-ly said." ded; then laying his hand kindly upon her own, he said, even as a father addres-

sing his child—
"Heaven bless you, darling. I grieve that your young heart should be thus chastened, but strive to forget it. Rise "My manuscript is finished," said Al- for a song ; your voice will sound well in

"I rejoice that your task is done," said Alice hesitated for a moment, then, in Though hearts we have trusted may wander,

> May waste unkindness away ; Too laden with sunshine and joy

For our spirits to wither in sadness, Though lips whose fond tones have grown dearer With each uttered sentence of love, Though smiles that have beamed for us clearer Than sunshine from bright skies above :

Though all of these change, and so longer

We cherish them deep in our hearts,

Still hope will but beam for us stronger With each faded joy that departs. Shall wither in lonely decay ; A hope which shall breathe of a Heaven

Too bright for a cloudlet of care, And the soul from Earth's dark fetters riven, Shall revel in blissfulness there. "A pretty voice, d-n me if it isn't. Come, Hackerman, let's find the singer," exclaimed a voice, as Alice finished the last line, and the next instant at all, stoutbuilt, fine-looking man sprang over the

ble illustration of the heading of this arti-

or to "Then listen," said Leena, raising her jeweled hands, and sweeping back the heavy curls that were falling over her will she have finished her story?"

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"Poor child!" exclaimed Lena in a tone of affectionate commiseration. "When will she have finished her story?"

M. B. was out hunting with his rifle, and crossing a field of Mr. C., a Frenchman, Mr. C.'s large dog attacked him savhunted jackal. The destroyer was close at his heels, following every turn with the perseverance of mortal hate. His strength was failing fast, and the fearful chase appeared to be drawing to a general European war.

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"Have you heard the most overpower that she will succeed not only in winning save you a long walk, and I will do it arrested for killing his dog-swore to the lo! the dog was dead.